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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES							
	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>		<u>Small Entity</u>	
Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
						<u>Small Entity</u>	
						Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)						50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)						200	100
Multiple dependent claims						360	180
Total Claims		Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	Multiple Dependent Claims		
- 20 =		x	=		Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)	
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.							
Indep. Claims		Extra Claims	Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)			
- 3 =		x	=				
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Application No. 10/705,506

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Examiner: Julian A. MERCADO

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For: FUEL CELL POWER
GENERATING SYSTEM WITH
TWO FUEL CELLS OF
DIFFERENT TYPES AND
METHOD OF CONTROLLING

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Copies of the U.S. patents are not being provided. However, a copy of the Canadian Office Action is attached. As all requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97 and all official guide lines pertaining to Information Disclosure Statements have been complied with, it is therefore respectfully requested that the Examiner consider the documents and make them of record.

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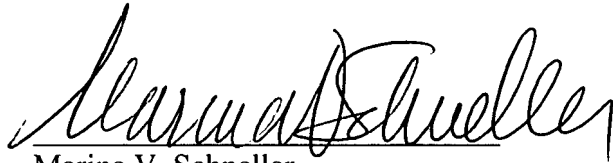
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	AB	US 6,370,878 B1	04/15/2002	DEAN et al.	
	AC	US 6,299,994 B1	10/09/2001	TOWLER et al.	
	AD	US 6,120,923	09/19/2000	VAN DINE et al.	
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